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"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING  
GROUP 1772"

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
HANS RIES : GROUP ART UNIT: 1772  
SERIAL NO: 10/024,379 :  
FILED: DECEMBER 21, 2001 : EXAMINER: MARC A. PATTERSON  
FOR: POLYAMIDE COMPOSITE :  
HAVING TWO OR MORE LAYERS :

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2003, please reconsider the application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

**AMENDMENT**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

The **Basis for Amendment** begins on page 13 of this paper.

The **Interview Summary** begins on page 14 of this paper.

The **Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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☐ No additional fee is required

☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.

☒ Additional documents filed herewith: Terminal Disclaimer w/copy of the Form PTO 1595; Assignment (executed), and Date-Stamped Filing Receipt of Dec. 21, 2001) (executed) with fee \$110.00 ; Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO 1449, w/ 2 pp.References

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